

Dowager Lady Decies and the Hon. Mrs. Wilkerson Entertained at Luncheon by Mrs. Oliver Cromwell

Mother and Sister of Lord Decies Honored on Visit Here.

Mrs. Oliver Cromwell entertained at luncheon today in honor of the Dowager Lady Decies and her daughter, the Hon. Mrs. Wilkerson, who have been spending the last few days in Washington. Lady Decies has been visiting Capt. and Mrs. John H. Gibbons, U. S. N., and Mrs. Wilkerson has been Mrs. Cromwell's house guest.

In the company asked to meet Lady Decies and Mrs. Wilkerson were Mrs. Bryce, wife of the British ambassador, Lady Hadfield, Mrs. Julian James, Mrs. Randolph Williams, Mrs. Edson Bradley, Mrs. John J. Hemphill, Mrs. John Jay White, and Mrs. Charles D. Walcott.

Secretary and Mrs. Knox Guests at Japanese Embassy.

The Japanese Ambassador and Baroness Uchida were dinner hosts last night, having as their guests the Secretary of State and Mrs. Knox, the Italian Ambassador and Marchesa Cusani, and Donna Beatrice Cusani, Senator and Mrs. Burton, the Minister of Norway and Mme. Bryn, the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Robert Shaw Oliver, Col. and Mrs. Spencer Cosby, U. S. A., and Mrs. Miller of the State Department, the Military Attaché of the Spanish Legation and Mme. Urcullu, Miss Ernst, the Counselor of the Japanese Embassy and Mme. Matsui and the military attaché, Lieutenant Colonel Inouye, I. J. A.

Senator and Mrs. Depew had dining with them last night Mr. Justice and Mrs. Harlan, Mr. Justice and Mrs. McKenna, Senator and Mrs. Beveridge, Senator Dillingham, Senator and Mrs. Carter, Senator and Mrs. Burton, Senator and Mrs. Rayner, Senator du Pont, Representative Hamilton, Fish, Miss Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Mrs. Hunt Slater, Mrs. Charles R. Shepard, Mrs. Riggley, Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards and Gist Blair.

British Embassy Scene Of Brilliant Dinner.

The British Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce were hosts at a brilliant dinner party last night at the embassy in Connecticut avenue. The table was beautifully decorated with pink roses and ferns.

At the table were the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador and Baroness de Bussler, the Belgian Minister and Countess de Bussler, the Speaker and Mrs. Cannon, Senator and Mrs. Burton, Senator and Mrs. Rayner, Senator du Pont, Representative Hamilton, Fish, Miss Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Mrs. Hunt Slater, Mrs. Charles R. Shepard, Mrs. Riggley, Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards and Gist Blair.

Miss Ida Norment Smith Entertains at Bridge.

Miss Ida Norment Smith entertained last evening at the first of a series of bridge parties which she is giving this month. The table was beautifully adorned for the occasion with red hearts and arrows and the favors were valentines.

The guests were Miss Marion Edmondson King, Miss Marie Ray, Miss Katherine Poole, Miss Martha Poole, Miss Louise Robertson, Miss Ruby Stokes, Miss Mildred Bacon, Miss Nina Van Arsdale, Miss Stella Carusi, Miss Elizabeth Fulton, Miss Lucinda Pennebaker, Miss Frances Miller, Miss Elsie Farnum, George Kennedy, George R. Elder, Maurice Moore, Stockton Hebb, Morris Greene, Westwood Hite, Edgar Price, John Johnson, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Vinal, and Frank Smith.

Miss Smith has cards out for the second party of the series, for Monday evening, February 20.

Mrs. Waterman, wife of Lieut. John J. Waterman, U. S. A., who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper Hood, has returned to Fort Riley, where she will join Lieutenant Waterman. On May 1 they will sail for Manila, where Lieutenant Waterman has been ordered to duty.

Mrs. John J. White, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper Hood, has returned to Fort Riley, where she will join Lieutenant Waterman. On May 1 they will sail for Manila, where Lieutenant Waterman has been ordered to duty.

Mrs. Ruth Parker, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myron M. Parker, who has been spending several weeks in Providence, R. I., will return to Washington tomorrow morning, accompanied by Miss Primrose Colt, daughter of Judge Colt. Miss Colt will be the guest of Miss Parker for a fortnight.

Miss Emily Matthews will entertain informally at tea this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock in compliment to Miss Hollister, of Georgetown.

Pink tulips and yellow jonquils will form the house decorations.

Miss Ruth Pilling is spending a few days in Baltimore.

SUNNY MONDAY

Sunny Monday laundry soap contains a wonderful dirt-starter which saves half the rubbing. The soap itself does most of the work—you merely assist it. Your poor back will appreciate the difference at once.

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Receiving Days for Society of the Capital

Mrs. Sherman, wife of the Vice President, will not receive tomorrow afternoon, on account of absence from the city.

The only Cabinet hostesses who will be receiving tomorrow are Mrs. Wickliffe, wife of the Attorney General; Mrs. Meyer, wife of the Secretary of the Navy; and Mrs. Ballinger, wife of the Secretary of the Interior.

Mrs. Wickliffe will have assisting her Mrs. Henry G. Sharpe, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mrs. W. R. Gherardi, Miss Hunt, and Miss Nagel.

Receiving with Mrs. Ballinger, who will be at home at Stoneleigh Court, from 1 to 6 o'clock, for the last time this season, will be Mrs. Drinn, wife of General Drinn, U. S. A.; Mrs. Fred Dennett, and Miss Carragher, of Seattle, Wash., a student at Trinity College.

Mrs. Knox, wife of the Secretary of State, will not observe her day at home tomorrow; Mrs. Dickinson, wife of the Secretary of War, is in mourning this winter and is not receiving at all, and Mrs. Nagel, wife of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, is spending the week in St. Louis.

Miss Cannon, daughter of the Speaker, will be at home tomorrow afternoon at her residence, on Vermont avenue.

Mrs. William F. Dennis will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Andrew Bradley Duval, of Florence, will receive tomorrow and again on February 22.

Mrs. John N. Pyle, 4016 Fourteenth street, will receive tomorrow afternoon for the last time this season. She will be assisted by Mrs. George F. Dudley, Mrs. James A. Stutzman, and Mrs. George F. Schutt.

Mrs. Ezra L. Kohn and Miss Kohn will receive today for the last time this season.

Mrs. Silas Hare and Miss Helen Hare, of Uvalde, Tex., will be at home at the Cecil the following Wednesdays in February.

Mrs. William Sherman Dewhurst will receive tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock and again on the 22d.

Mrs. F. M. Phelps and her mother, Mrs. Butler, of the Imperial, will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. L. Whiting Estes will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. P. Edwin Dye, 1463 R street, will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. John Hays Hammond will receive tomorrow.

Mrs. Andrew R. Graham will receive informally tomorrow afternoon at the Dresden, and the following Wednesdays in the month.

Mrs. Charles M. Campbell and Miss Campbell, of Harvard street, will receive tomorrow afternoon and the remaining Wednesdays in the month.

Mrs. G. Bowle Chapman, of 1728 Belmont street, will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. William H. Daw, 220 H street, will receive tomorrow afternoon and again on February 22.

Mrs. Tallmadge A. Lambert and Mrs. James A. Gannon will receive at 2209 Massachusetts avenue tomorrow, for the last time this season.

The Misses Curry, of 1020 Monroe street, will not receive today, but will to 10 o'clock in celebration of the eighty-seventh birthday of their father, W. W. Curry.

The Misses Dapray will receive tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. John H. Dixon and Miss Green, of 1339 Fifteenth street, will be at home Wednesday, February 15, informally. Miss Anderson, of Chicago, will be with them.

Miss Wood, sister of Representative Wood, will not receive today, but will receive at the Cochran February 21, from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Burr James Ramage will not be at home today, but will receive February 21 and 22. Her sister, Mrs. H. G. Hart, Jr., of Utica, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. Ramage.

Miss Mary E. McConeny, of the Arlington, will not be at home tomorrow.

Mrs. Albert Herman and Miss Flora Ottenberg will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, at 324 Sixth street.

Mrs. Hawley and Daughter To Give a Valentine Tea

Mrs. J. M. Hawley, wife of Rear Admiral Hawley, U. S. N., and her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Hargis, will entertain at a valentine tea this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, at their residence on R street.

The tea table, which will be adorned with a centerpiece of red carnations, will be presided over by Mrs. Mason, wife of Rear Admiral Newton E. Mason, U. S. N., and Mrs. Gerard P. Van Mourik, of the City of Mexico, Mexico, and the latter's sister, Miss Norton, will serve punch.

Assuming in receiving the guests will be Miss Nina Knox Van Arsdale, Miss Helen Hendrick, Miss Mildred Bacon, Miss Doris Haywood, and Miss Katherine Poole.

Mrs. Hawley will wear a pale yellow broadened satin gown veiled in black shantung net, and trimmed in black marabou, and Mrs. Hargis will wear pink crepe de chine with an overdress of silver spangled marquisette, edged with marabou.

Palms, ferns, clusters of red carnations and red hearts, arrows and other appropriate favors will form the house decorations.

Mrs. George F. Elliott, wife of Brigadier General Elliott, U. S. M. C., will entertain informally at bridge this afternoon at her apartments at the Toronto.

Wife of Secretary Nagel Spending Week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Nagel, wife of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, left Washington Sunday for a week's visit to her home in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft Give Dinner in Honor of Speaker Cannon.

The President and Mrs. Taft are giving a dinner at the White House tonight in honor of the Speaker of the House. Though there have been numerous dinners at the Executive Mansion at which Mr. Cannon was the principal guest, this is the first time that such a function has been made a special occasion in the series of state entertainments.

Mrs. Samuel Spencer is entertaining a company of young people at dinner tonight in compliment to Miss Helen Taft, who will afterwards attend the Valentine costume ball at the home of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Richardson Clover, U. S. N.

Mrs. S. C. Neale has cards out for a luncheon Saturday, February 25.

Miss Edna Middleton To Become Bride.

The marriage of Miss Edna Jean Middleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Middleton, of Georgetown, to George Ramsey Broadway, of Herndon, Va., will take place tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at the McKendree M. E. Church, the pastor, the Rev. E. T. Mowbray, officiating.

Three cousins of the bride will attend her. Miss Ethel Smith will be the maid of honor, and Miss Florence Ferguson, and Miss Lillian Middleton, of Baltimore, will be the bridesmaids.

Frederick Ryan will be best man for Mr. Broadway, and the ushers will be William E. Ferguson, of Baltimore, William H. Dawson, Dr. Ernest L. Robey, of Herndon, Va., and Harry Middleton.

A reception for the bridal party and a few intimate friends will follow the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, on Thirtieth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams To Entertain Miss Taft.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner F. Williams have sent out cards for a dinner on Thursday, February 23, in compliment to Miss Helen Taft.

On Saturday Miss Taft will be the honor guest at dinner of Mrs. A. N. Talbot and Miss Talbot.

Miss Alice Vandergrift, who has been spending the last week in New York, will return to Washington tonight.

LOCAL MENTION

25c. Try Our Famous Stews! 25c. Phila. Oyster & Chop House, 513 11th nw.

Important Notice to Smokers. On and after Monday, February 13, all smokers in the District of Columbia should get a PERMIT TO SMOKE.

Mrs. Portner and Misses Portner Give Luncheon

Mrs. Portner and the Misses Portner gave a beautifully appointed luncheon of seventy-five covers today at Raucher's, having as their guests members of the older and younger married set and some of the debutantes of this season and last. The guests were seated in the large ballroom at small tables decorated with quantities of spring flowers, tulips, lilacs, violets and pink and red roses. An orchestra played throughout the luncheon.

Miss Marion Leutze, daughter of Rear Admiral E. H. C. Leutze, commandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and Mrs. Leutze, who came to Washington yesterday for a visit of several days to Miss Marion Oliver, will be the guest of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Beckman Winthrop for the week-end.

The ladies of the hospital committee of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church are giving a valentine tea and musicale this evening from 8 to 10 o'clock at the parish hall, Fourteenth and Corcoran streets, for the benefit of the Episcopal Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital.

Reception to Be Given At the British Embassy.

The British Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce will give a large reception at the embassy on the evening of Friday, February 24.

The Vice President and Mrs. Sherman will entertain at a large dinner Monday evening, February 20, and the following Monday, February 21, they are giving a reception in honor of the Diplomatic Corps.

SHE LOST HER HAIR

Woman Almost Baldheaded Grew Four Inches of Hair

Here is a piece of live news from Brownstown, Minn., that ought to interest skeptical men or women readers of The Washington Times who are losing their hair or have dandruff or itching scalp. Remember that Henry Evans or James O'Donnell sells PARISIAN SAGE under a positive guarantee to stop falling hair and itching scalp and eradicate dandruff in two weeks.

PARISIAN SAGE is a most refreshing and daintily perfumed hair dressing, free from grease or stickiness. It makes dull, lifeless hair radiant and lustrous.

PARISIAN SAGE is the best hair grower and beautifier and dandruff cure. I lost all my hair through typhoid fever; I was almost baldheaded and my scalp was as sore as could be. I tried everything, but in vain. Finally I tried PARISIAN SAGE, and after using one bottle my hair started to grow, and has grown three or four inches inside of two months. I advise every woman who wants beautiful hair to use PARISIAN SAGE. Miss Meta M. Kruger, Brownstown, Minn., June 3, 1910.

PARISIAN SAGE is only 25 cents a large bottle at Henry Evans and James O'Donnell, and drugists everywhere. The girl with the Auburn hair is using PARISIAN SAGE. Mail order charges prepaid by the American makers, The Groux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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The "Nameless" Candy Store Will Give

\$10.00 in Gold

For the best and most appropriate name for their new candy store. We want a name that's so different that the public will immediately recognize it as the home of all that's pure, wholesome, and delicious in popular priced confections.

February 15th Is the Last Day

Send in your name at once, you may be the lucky one.

CONTEST IS OPEN TO ALL

THE WINNER WILL RECEIVE

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The Person Suggesting the Next Best Name Will Receive a 5-lb. Box of Candy

Five 1-lb. Boxes Will Be Awarded for the Next Best Names Suggested

The winner will be decided by a committee of well-known newspaper men. Any contestant may send in as many names as he or she desires. Should the winning names be suggested by more than one person, those first received will be given preference. So it will pay to act quickly—right NOW. Mail the name or names you would suggest to

THE CANDY STORE NAME CONTEST, Care THE WASHINGTON TIMES, Munsey Building.

Contest Closes Wednesday, Feb. 15th

Prizes Awarded at Store Saturday, Feb. 18th

The "Nameless" Candy Store 917 G Street N.W.

Chamber Committee Will Report Tonight

A. Lisner, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee appointed to investigate the inequalities in salaries of Government clerks, will make a report to the Chamber at its meeting tonight.

The report, which will recommend a general increase in salaries commensurate with the increase in cost of living, was approved at a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon.

Held for the Murder Of a Lifelong Friend

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C., Feb. 14.—Walter Pressley was arrested and lodged in the Asheville jail last yesterday afternoon charged with murdering Wayne Kelly, and leaving the body in an old field near here.

The body was not found until yesterday. The killing is the result of a drunken brawl between two lifelong friends. Pressley has a cut on the neck which he says was inflicted by Kelly. He will plead self-defense.

SAVE THIS PRESCRIPTION

The following prescription may prove more valuable than gold in time of need. For weak, deranged kidneys, bladder or other urinary organs, mix one half ounce fluid extract buchu, one half ounce urux compound, six ounces good pure gin. Take one to two tea-spoonfuls after each meal and at bed time. Any well stocked drug store has the ingredients. It is easily mixed. This quickly restores these organs to their natural power of carrying off impurities. Backache, rheumatic pains and other well known symptoms must be treated promptly to be safe from more serious kidney trouble.

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Carpenter Hurt By Fall.

Louis H. Fletcher, white, thirty years old, a carpenter, was sent to the Georgetown University Hospital shortly before noon today suffering from severe injuries to his back and head. He had fallen from the second floor of a building that is being erected at Cherrydale, Va.

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THREE EXTRAORDINARY DRESS GOODS BARGAINS

\$1.39 All-silk and Wool 98c

Poplins, One Day 98c

Colors are marine blue, king blue, navy blue, mode, brown, green, old rose, cream, robin's egg blue, myrtle, helio, and tan. Poplins are destined for absolute leadership among the fashionable fabrics for spring. Hence this is a timely bargain that every frugal woman should respond to promptly. These Poplins are 44 inches wide; perfect goods. Worth \$1.39. For a 98c yard, Thursday special.

\$1.50 Black Basket Suitings 95c

52-inch Lupin's Imported Basket Suitings; the right weight for tailored suits or skirts; in a beautiful black. Remember, this is Lupin's French fabric, 52 inches wide, and very firm and closely woven. \$1.50 value. Tomorrow only, per yard. 95c

\$2.48 HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS \$1.69

Genuine Heatherbloom petticoats, with label on every skirtband, in black and colors; made with 14-inch sectional flare flounce, with 8 rows of pin tucks and 16 rows of stitching, finished with under-flounce; also several other styles from which to choose; all lengths 38 to 43, and skirts that sell regularly at \$2.48. In this \$1.69 sale at.

Bedwear Bargains

\$5.50 Down Comfort, \$4.43

This sweeping reduction is caused by our having too many on hand at this season of the year. All are guaranteed to be filled with pure white downless down; lined with best French satin; duplicated in light or dark colorings; oriental or floral designs; \$5.50 value. Special \$4.43

11-4 Full-size White California Wool Blanket, made from high-grade grade of wool; guaranteed absolutely perfect; thoroughly shrunken; our reputation for value giving will convince you at once upon investigation that we are offering an actual \$5.50 value for \$3.98

\$1.39 Summer Blanket, \$1.00

The ideal summer covering. They come in white or gray, with dainty blue and pink borders; soft, warm and durable; \$1.39 value. \$1.00 Special \$1.00

\$3.25 French Satine Comfort \$2.50

They are filled with best white laminated cotton and are duplex; beautiful line of floral designs stitched all over; some are the same, while others are differently figured on opposite sides. For one day a regular \$3.25 value. \$2.50 for \$2.50

Full-sized White Crochet Spreads; cut-out corner; fringed on all four sides; the only really proper spreads for metal beds; makes an even drape on all sides; \$1.59 value. Special \$1.59

\$3.00 Imported India China Blanket for \$1.98

They come in tan, blue, gray and pink plaids; can be used as a bed covering or for the making of bath robes; fast colors. While they last, this unusual value \$1.98 will be \$1.98

Sheets and Cases

Another purchase of Sheets and Cases that will prove quite interesting, and a great saving institution to our many patrons. Just think of a fine Double-bed Sheet, of domestic finish, hand torn, with a 3-inch hem—in fact, it is our own brand of sheets—L. & Bro.—which gives it our double guarantee for wear and durability. These goods have never been sold less than 75c. Will place on sale tomorrow 100 dozen Sheets and 100 dozen Pillow Cases. The Cases are supposed to be made from sheeting remnants. Possibly some will have a seam on both sides—no imperfection.

81x90 Double-bed Sheets; Lansburgh Special. 75c 55c value. Special 55c

42x36 Pillow Case. 20c value. Special 12 1/2c

42x72 Bolster Cases. 35c value. Open both ends, 25c with 3-inch hem. Special 25c

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